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In re Patent Application of:
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For: A Method of Synthesizing Nanoscale Filamentary
Structures, and Electronic Components
Comprising Such Structures

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office action dated June 12, 2009. A Request for Continued Examination is submitted herewith. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.